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**NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT  
TO SMALL-ENTITY STATUS  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2)**

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Sir:

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Accordingly, please update the U.S.P.T.O. patent file and electronic records to indicate LARGE-ENTITY status.

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